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## WILSON OPENS APPEAL FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

## PRESIDENT IS GREETED WITH ENTHUSIASM IN NEW YORK

**Executive Warns that Plans for the Re-Adjustment of the Army Must Be Formulated and Carried Out Without Delay--Sounds Keynote of Addresses He Will Deliver During the Next Ten Days.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—President Wilson tonight opened his personal appeal to the country for national defense. He gave warning that plans for the readjustment of the army must be formulated and carried out without delay and solemnly declared he could not predict what the outlook for the United States would be as bright tomorrow as today. Speaking at banquets of the railway business association and the motion picture board of trade, he sounded the keynote of addresses that he will deliver during the next ten days in the middle west.

**President in Fighting Mood.**

Mr. Wilson was in a fighting mood throughout his address. In a speech delivered early in the day he declared he always accepted an invitation to fight. Tonight, he told the railway men, he was an advocate of peace and had struggled to keep the United States at peace, but he considered the liberty and honor of the nation even more important than peace.

"To any man who plays master or who seeks to make party politics or personal ambition take precedence over candor, honor and unselfish, unpatriotic service," said the president in speaking of his defense plan before the railroad men. He declared that the country expects action; this is a year of accounting, and the accounting must be definite on the part of the parties and on the part of every individual who wishes to enjoy the public confidence. "For my part, I hope every man in public life will get what's coming to him," said Mr. Wilson, amid laughter and applause.

**Is Greeted With Enthusiasm.**

The president at both banquets and all during his ay's visit to New York was greeted with enthusiasm. On his ride between the hotels, where the banquets were held tonight, he was escorted by a band and the Ninth Command of Coast Artillery of the New York National Guard.

Thousands of persons packed the streets and cheered him as he went by.

During his speech before nearly 1,500 business men at the railway banquet, where he cast aside almost entirely the text of the address that he had previously prepared for delivery there, he was frequently interrupted by applause.

The president admitted that in a message to the last congress he had said the need for preparedness was not pressing. He declared that he had learned in the meantime. He cited his recent support of a tariff commission as another instance of a change on his part, but declared that previously there was no need for such a commission. The business men enthusiastically cheered him.

Mr. Wilson spoke of men of high character who were clouding the preparedness issue. He declared they were provincial and that the United States could no longer cut itself off from the rest of the world.

**Discusses Mexican Policy.**

The president vigorously discussed his Mexican policy. He asserted that to invade Mexico would mean the loss of confidence of the rest of the western hemisphere. He cited the freeing of Cuba as an instance of good done by the United States.

"If we are drawn into the maelstrom, which now rages in Europe," the president declared, "we shall not be permitted to do the high things we would prefer."

The president defended his army program drawn up by Secretary Garrison and said that he did not care about the details of any plan as long as 500,000 trained men were provided as reserves under the federal government. He advocated strengthening the national guard, but said the constitution itself would put the guard under the state. He added that the United States will not turn in the direction of militarism.

**Outlines Why U. S. Should Prepare.**

Outlining why the United States should prepare, Mr. Wilson said we must prepare our rights as a nation and the rights of our citizens in America and outside of it as the consensus of civilized peoples have defined them; must insure the embarrassed realization of our political declaration within our own borders and must protect the peace and political autonomy of the Americas.

He added that national defense means the protection of the country from invasion and also the prevention of flank assault upon the things which we believe to underlie our life.

Industrial preparedness with the military training of students in industrial schools was proposed by the president. He left many plans for later addresses.

Business men who formerly relied

## FOUR YOUTHS ROB JAKE STAHL'S BANK

### SECURE \$15,000 AND ESCAPE IN AN AUTOMOBILE

Accomplice Sits Outside in Machine Cabin Smoking a Cigarette—Robbery Takes Just Three Minutes—Many Persons Pass Building While Robbery Is in Progress.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—With precision almost mechanical in their movements four young men entered the Washington Park National bank at East Sixty-third street and Evans avenue at the opening of business today, terrified more than a score of bank officers and depositors, robbed the tellers' cage of \$15,000 and escaped in an automobile with a waiting confederate. While messages for help were swiftly flying around the city a policeman twenty blocks away saw an automobile stop at the entrance to Washington park. One man left the machine and another examined the engine and then cranked the car and drove off.

When the description of the robbers' car reached the policeman he said: "That must have been the car I saw."

In the bank when the robbers entered were a number of depositors, among them Municipal Judge Fry. At his desk sat J. Garland Stahl, former baseball player and manager of the Boston Americans and now vice president of the robbed institution. Both the judge and the former ball player quickly obeyed the command "hands up" and made no move to interfere while one of the robbers entered the teller's cage and transferred package after package of coins to his pockets.

"I found out what was going on in Mexico in a very singular way—by hearing a sufficiently large number of lies talk about it.

"It is very tedious to hear men lie, particularly when you know they are lying.

"I got to know that story so by heart that the last time a deputation visited me about Mexico I thought I would save time and I told them exactly what they were going to say to me and they went away very much confused; they wondered how I had heard it, because they knew it was so.

"And yet underneath this are great pulses which throb in great bodies of men and drive the great powers of state. And I wonder how men try to deceive a great nation.

"The best way to silence any friend of yours whom you know to be a fool is to induce him to hire a hall. Nothing chills pretense like exposure, nothing will bear the test of expression for a shorter length of time than pretense. I should think that in a year like the year 1916 there is to be a common reckoning for everybody, men would hurry up and begin to tell the truth. They are not hurrying about it, they are taking their time, but the American people are going to insist upon it before this year is over—that everybody comes up and is counted on the great questions of the day. They are not going to take excuses, they are not going to take pretenses; they are going to insist upon the goods delivered on the spot.

"Some of my opinions about some men are extremely picturesque and if you could only take a motion picture of them you would think it was Jesus in eruption, and yet all these volatile forces all these things that are going on inside of me have to be concealed under a most grave and reverent exterior, where as there is a lot going on inside me that would be entertaining to any audience anywhere.

"We all in our hearts agree upon the fundamental principles of our lives, of our life as a nation, now we ought to tax ourselves with the duty of seeing that those principles are realized in action and no fooling about it. If we could only agree that in all matters of public concern we would adjourn our private interests, look each other frankly in the face and say, 'we are all ready at what ever sacrifice of our own interests to go in common to the cause that the common welfare demands.' What an irresistible force America would be."

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**ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS FAVOR MEASURES FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE**

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A resolution favoring measures for national defense, adopted by the directors of the National association opposed to Woman Suffrage at a meeting here today, appealed "to the mothers of the country to teach their children reverence for authority, obedient to the law and willing to sacrifice selfish interests for the country good."

Women everywhere, "in times of peace, as well as of national disaster," the resolution declared, "should strive to further the cause of preparedness by the study of the source and conservation of the food supply by thrift and economy."

**ORDERS POSTERS TAKEN DOWN**

San Francisco, Jan. 27.—At the order of the federal authorities, a theatre here had taken down today posters on which were lithographed copies of Canadian recruiting bills.

The management was notified that the display of recruiting literature issued by a belligerent nation was a violation of American neutrality.

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## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 27.—State Auditor Brady today issued a call to state banks for a statement of their condition at commencement of business January 25th.

TAYLORVILLE, Ill., Jan. 27.—To assist in stamping out the prevailing foot and mouth disease the Christian County Livestock Protective association was organized here today with a membership of about 1,000 farmers. Pete Haner of Taylorville was elected president and W. J. Mccluskey of Owaneco, secretary-treasurer.

JOLIET, Ill., Jan. 27.—Mayor William C. Barber today ruled that no intoxicating drinks could be served in Joliet cafes. The new rule supplements an order issued Monday barring women from saloons and cafes attached to saloons. In the latest order hotels are forbidden to serve drinks to guests in their rooms.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—A claim for \$10,000 for each of the Americans killed by Mexican bandits at Santa Ysabel was received today by the state department. The department will press the Carranza government for payment.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Jennie O. Thorburg, who last night shot and killed Mrs. Margaret McWilliams, a neighbor, as the latter was forcing an entrance to the Thorburg home, was exonerated by the police today and released.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Eugene Van Schaick, a prominent New York lawyer and director in a number of insurance and industrial concerns, committed suicide in his office today by shooting himself thru the head.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 27.—Five hundred families at and near Watson, Ark., have been driven from their homes by floods, according to a message received by Governor Geo. W. Hays this morning.

DECATUR, Ill., Jan. 27.—William Howe of Danville, was today declared distracted and feeble-minded by a jury in the Macon county court.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Eight hundred and forty persons were saved from loan sharks during the last year by the First State Industrial Wage Loan Society, according to the annual report of the president, made public today. The total number of loans was 2,348. The society's net profit was \$4,042.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Two Illinois men, Benjamin J. Rosenthal of Chicago, and Charles Hasler of Olinay, have been appointed members of the Federal Assay Commission by President Wilson, it was announced today.

ROME, Jan. 27, via London.—It is reported in Vatican circles that the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, who has been ill for several days, is rapidly growing worse.

SEWARD, Alaska, Jan. 27.—Children are attending school barefooted in southern Alaska according to advice received today by mail.

It was said that no snow had fallen there and there had been no ice up to the middle of January. Northern Alaska, however, is in the grip of a severe blizzard.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Irving and Herbert Updike, indicted for conspiracy to kill their father, Furman D. Updike, and their mother and sister, will go west to work on a ranch or farm, the father said today. The Updike brothers have been released on \$30,000 bonds. When the courts send them Mr. Updike said, they will come back.

ILLINOIS CLEANERS AND DYERS OPEN MEETING IN SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 27.—The shortage in dyestuffs, resultant from the European war, will be one of the chief subjects for discussion at the annual meeting of the Illinois Cleaners and Dyers association, which convened here today.

It is planned to appoint a committee to investigate South American sources of dye materials as a substitute for European markets. The convention also will discuss the increased price of gasoline.

At the annual banquet tomorrow night State Fire Marshal Walter Bennett will speak on "Fire Hazards." The business sessions will close tomorrow afternoon when officers will be elected.

**PLAN ORGANIZED FIGHT AGAINST ANY PREPAREDNESS MEASURE**

Washington, Jan. 27.—Democratic representatives opposed to President Wilson's preparedness plan have taken definite steps, it became known tonight, to make an organized fight against any preparedness measure that may be introduced.

Representative Bailey of Pennsylvania a leader in the movement said that more than a score of members already had enlisted in it and that frequent conferences were being held quietly to perfect methods of procedure. Mr. Bailey declined to give the names of any of those associated with him in the anti-preparedness campaign but said that a careful poll of doubtful members was being made and that Representative Dies of Texas had been suggested as active leader to conduct the fight on the floor of the house.

**DISCONTINUE MONEY SHIPMENTS AT NIGHT**

Houston, Tex., Jan. 27.—Train robberies in Oklahoma have caused the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad to discontinue money shipments at night thru that state. It was said here today by J. E. Garvin, general freight agent. Other railroads also have discontinued carrying money on night trains in the southwest.

## MRS. MOHR BREAKS DOWN ON STAND

Undergoes Severe Cross Examination By Attorney General

## ADmits SHE WAS FOOLed

Witness Denies She Lived With Doctor Year and a Half Before Their Marriage

## WILL HOLD COURT SATURDAY

Providence, R. I., Jan. 27.—The first serious break in the marital relations of the late Dr. C. Franklin Mohr and his wife, Elizabeth F. Mohr, who is charged with having hired two negroes to kill him, occurred at the time she told her husband of her friendship for a man named Samuel A. McDougal, who is now a minister in Plinton, Nova Scotia. This statement was elicited from Mrs. Mohr during a severe cross examination this afternoon by Attorney General Rice.

**BREAKS DOWN SEVERAL TIMES.**

Occasionally during the examination she seemed confused as to dates and facts given in her direct testimony and several times broke down and sobbed.

It was in 1912, she said, that she first told Dr. Mohr about McDougal. The doctor, she admitted, was incensed and went to Nova Scotia to try to have the minister unfrocked. The attorney general then reminded her that in her direct testimony she said that her husband had gone "to the provinces to see a friend."

"The doctor was under the influence of drugs," said Mrs. Mohr.

At the time she met McDougal, Mrs. Mohr said, she was known as Elizabeth Blair. She denied that she told the doctor that she had left Providence to go to Boston because of notoriety caused by her friend with McDougal.

It was about the time she told the doctor about McDougal, the attorney general brought out, that Mrs. Mohr and her husband had a falling out, and that he began to correspond with Miss Emily Berger, who later became his secretary and who was seriously wounded at the time the doctor was shot down in their stalled automobile.

**Admits That "She Was Fooled."**

Mrs. Mohr admitted that "she was fooled" about her first marriage with the doctor in Brooklyn but that she relied on the word of the doctor and took no other precautions.

She denied that she had lived with the doctor a year and a half before their marriage.

"Where was it that you really went thru a ceremony?" Mr. Rice asked.

Mrs. Mohr sobbed so that she could answer. She finally replied that she and the doctor were married at Lynn, Mass., on May 24, 1909. The doctor thought it would be best, she said, on account of the children.

The residence and occupation of both herself and the doctor, as given on the records in Lynn, were false, Mrs. Mohr admitted. The statements were given by Dr. Mohr, she said, and she was standing to one side part of the time.

Justice Stearns announced that court would be held Saturday morning and perhaps Saturday afternoon. It was said that Mrs. Mohr probably would be on the stand for two days more.

## DENOUNCE MUNITIONS SHIPMENTS TO EUROPEAN BELLIGERENTS

Ouburst in Senate Reflects Revival of Sentiment Which May Force vote on Embargo Resolutions.

Washington, Jan. 27.—An outburst of denunciation against shipment of war munitions to European belligerents stirred the senate today reflecting a revival of sentiment, which may force a vote upon embargo resolutions that have been pending in committee for several months. A dozen senators including Democrats as well as Republicans, assailed the munitions traffic, while those who have sided with the administration in its stand that an embargo would violate international law were for the most part silent.

A petition for an embargo bearing more than a million signatures precipitated the debate.

A test vote at one time seemed inevitable, but it was averted after much parliamentary maneuvering by reference to the petition to the foreign relations committee.

## WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES

ILLINOIS: Generally fair and colder Friday; Saturday probably unsettled.

## Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded on Thursday were:

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COMING MONDAY—Mutual Master feature in five parts "The Buzzard's Shadow," featuring Harold Lockwood and Mae Allison.

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### For President

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ANDREW RUSSEL.

The changes which time brings are shown in the dispatch from Carthage, Mo., stating that the Anti-Horse Thief association there is now making a special effort to break up a gang of automobile thieves. The time may come when the A. H. T. A. will change the initials to A. A. T. A.

### Ford Plans to Expand.

Henry Ford has not thus far been a conspicuous success as a world peace maker, but nobody can deny his leadership in the automobile industry. The announcement has just been made from Detroit that an addition to the Ford motor plant to cost anywhere from five to ten million dollars is to be begun right away. Mr. Ford intends to more than double the capacity of his plant. With the prices of higher grade cars on the toboggan, the fact that the Ford company did not announce any reduction for 1916 was something of a surprise. But the increased cost of materials which enter into the construction of automobiles gives evidence that Ford was right and the time had not come when he was forced to a lower level. That time may come, but judged by the history of his company, Ford is fully able to meet any contingency requiring proper judgment.

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Senator Burton prophesies also that after the war there will be such industrial activity in Europe that an enormous demand for investment will be created and that interest rates here will become much higher as money is less available for the development of American enterprises and industries. The questions propounded by the senator from Ohio are only a few of many which have been brought forward in discussing "after the war, what?" Certain it is that in the flush of present prosperous business conditions resulting from the war it will not be wise for American business men to blind themselves to the future and to fancy they are secure in the 1916 situation and that present conditions are to continue indefinitely. Preparedness is needed in more ways than one.

### A DIRGE

My friend is dead, while yet so young! Pneumonia in his starboard lung defied the learned physicians' skill, and laughed to score the healing pill. And all

his days he was on guard, against disease; kept watch and ward, to see that no disgusting germ should thru his mouth or nostrils squirm. And when convinced that some disease was throwing microbes on the breeze, he breathed thru anti-septic gauze—took all

the care that ever was. While others scratched for fame or wealth, he only thought about his health, and studied up the buguous rules of all the foremost health-fad schools. He used a sanitary bed, and lived on milk and oatmeal bread, and walked nine miles, in rain or blast, each day before he broke his fast.

His life has closed before its noon, and I, who care no picayune for rules laid down by mortal man, but eat and drink whatever I can, am here to mourn my friend's decease, and wish his spirit joy and peace.

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### One Day's Rest Needed.

The request recently issued by David Lloyd George that the manufacture of munitions in England be confined to six days furnishes another of many laudable arguments in favor of one day's rest in seven. The order from the British leader has probably not been based upon any religious feeling whatever but rather upon the cold facts. The statistics in his hands have proven that the output of munitions where men worked seven days without rest was less than when they worked six days. His great purpose is to keep the total manufacture of munitions up to highest possible point and so he advises and commands "No Sunday work."

The time was when all the arguments advanced against Sunday work were based on religious scruples but that day is long since past and many employers who have no particular reverence for Sunday insist upon their business being operated only six days because it's more profitable that way. Sunday preserved for rest, recreation and religious observance will ever be an aid to the growth of this country, and as this country keeps away from the so-called "continental Sunday" its development along right lines will be the more secure.

### Justice and an Iron Hand.

"Justice without aggression" is the way President Wilson summed up his Mexican policy in addressing a company of New York ministers Thursday. It is a high sounding, lofty phrase, and worthy of the ideals which undoubtedly actuate President Wilson, but a policy affecting this great republic and a smaller neighboring republic cannot thus be clearly outlined. In fact the statement might be taken as further evidence that there is some justice in the frequent accusations made that the president is too much of a dreamer and that his fine scholastic mind does not entirely grasp important questions of state at their full meaning. The ideals that the president is following in his relations with Mexico can be approved only if they are achieved and justice must extend not only to Mexico but to the citizens of the United States.

The president in his Mexican policy does not seem to take into account the character of the people with whom he is dealing and attributes to them a development of character and purpose which has not yet been reached, and which will not be reached there until there have been many years of development. "Justice without aggression" sounds well, but it is something of a platitude when the real facts about conditions across the border are staring us in the face. The time for intervention may not be here and may not come, but conditions are fast justifying a revision of the president's phrase to "Justice and an iron hand."

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paredness is going to be one of the great issues of the coming campaign.

The party conventions will necessarily include something in their platforms on this question. The Wilson program of preparedness is not satisfactory to many Democrats and it is said that the president's present swing around the circle has been occasioned almost solely by his realization that something must be done to strengthen his position with the party. It seems that incited mainly thru Bryan influence, letters and telegrams have been pouring into Washington urging Democratic congressmen and senators against any great increase in the army and navy and our defenses.

Neither is the Republican party a unit on this question, and while Congressman Mann in his preparedness program outlined a day or two ago, undoubtedly represented a majority of the Republicans in Congress, there are other members of the party who are earnestly opposed to any program looking toward large expenditures along this line. There are a great many of the rank and file of both the Republican and Democrat parties whose minds are not fully made up as to just what they think the present conditions warrant or just what is advisable for the government from a safety standpoint. As the debate continues in Congress and as more is written and said, the public will form opinions along more definite lines.

The question is, broadly speaking, one of patriotism rather than one of party or politics. And the settlement in Congress will be by a non-partisan vote unless some changes in opinion are recorded. In many citizens there is an instinctive objection to a preparedness program because of a realization that to pay for increased defenses means an increase in taxation, which will not be for one year but will extend thru many. Another reason for opposition is a lack of knowledge as to the real condition of our army and navy and defenses by comparison with other nations. There are besides many citizens of this country—citizens by adoption, who came here to escape the military system of Europe, and who are unreservedly opposed to any program which they feel will lead to a military condition like that which they left in the fatherland.

All that is necessary for the successful carrying out of an adequate defense program is an appeal to the patriotism of the country. The people will favor a program not too radical, which will give them the security of an adequate defense if trouble with world powers should come. A great standing army is not necessary, but a vast force of men could readily be trained for service in a way which would not be a burden on the state or upon individuals. Such training could be so planned that it would be of physical benefit to the young or middle aged men taking part, and a great force which might be termed organized and unorganized, would be available and serve as a source of protection greater than mere armament could afford. Such a reserve force of men need not be equipped with arms now but with such a force available and with the government supplied with munitions, only a few weeks or at the most a few months, would be necessary to put a great army into action.

At this time the program with most appeal includes naval increase, a lesser increase in the standing army, a betterment of coast defenses and a reserve army of civilians not organized along strictly military lines but composed of men who will make themselves available for service thru appeal to their patriotic motives.

### Thursday, Feb. 17, 1916,

commencing at 12 o'clock (noon) the following herd of choice dairy cows

### 30 Head of Grade Jerseys.

### 30 Head of Grade Holsteins.

### 8 Head of Grade Short-Horns.

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The above cattle comprise the late A. P. Grout Dairy Herd and are as choice a lot of cows as will be found in central Illinois.

There will also be sold at this sale three Hinman Milking Outfits and an outfit of milking and shipping cans.

Sale will be conducted under cover and will be held irrespective of weather conditions.

Persons from a distance attending this sale and purchasing any of these cattle, same will be loaded on the cars at Winchester free of charge.

### TERMS OF SALE

Cash in hand, or a credit of seven months will be given, purchaser to give bankable note before removing property. Notes draw 7 per cent interest from day of sale.

L. L. SEELEY, Auctioneer.

W. L. BAGSHAW, Clerk.

Arrangements will be made to meet all trains.

### J. C. GROUT

and true member of that church and its successor till the time of her death. She is survived by her brother, Mr. Ragsdale and wife, one nephew, Homer Ragsdale of this place, and Mrs. F. E. Decker, a niece of Chicago.

The funeral will be conducted by Rev. F. A. McCarty, D. D., at Centenary church, Saturday at 2 p. m., and burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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### Figure it Out

When Sarah Week wed young Bill Day,

The jokers had their little say,  
Each, with his jesting tried to show.

That Father Time was dealt a blow.  
A week was lost, but a day was found,

But as the years have rolled around,  
More Days have come—and now its plain;

There are Days enough for a week again.

But be that as it may—just plan

To patronize your Butcher Man.

**DORWART'S MARKET**

## CITY AND COUNTY

W. T. Brown went to Missouri on business yesterday.

William Paul of Woodson visited the city yesterday, spent the day in the city trading with local merchants.

Charles Carley of Quincy was a city caller yesterday.

Henry Straway has returned from a short visit in Bloomington.

P. J. Noll of Decatur was an arrival in the city yesterday.

D. P. Coffman of Lincoln was a traveler to the city yesterday.

John Rice was a representative of Hillsboro in the city yesterday.

James T. Cox of Decatur had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Philip Holman of Alexander was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Dr. A. J. Ogram was a professional visitor in Literberry yesterday.

Harry E. Baker of Peoria traveled to the city yesterday on business.

Thermos Bottles. Clarence L. DePew North Side Drug Store, Chas. E. Carley of Quincy, Pharmacist.

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Vernon Baker of Murrayville

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G. W. Lansing of Havana had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

W. C. Shepherdson of Peoria made a business trip to the city yesterday.

C. W. Toler of Astoria was transacting business in the city yesterday.

E. A. Quandt of Peoria made a business trip to the city yesterday.

A. L. Conlee has returned from a visit in Alton, White Hall and Nilwood.

John and Miss Ada Wiegand were

In the city yesterday from Alexander.

Willard Young went to Literberry yesterday on business and pleasure intent.

Cottons, bandages, Fumigators. C. L. DePew, North Side Drug Store, Chas. E. Carley of Quincy, Pharmacist.

C. E. Andrews of Greenville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Nettie Gray of Alexander is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Jacob Strawn was here from Strawn's crossing yesterday a few hours.

W. E. Lynn of Mt. Sterling was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

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Mrs. Frank Koller of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. K. Harvey, of South Jacksonville.

Edward Young of the vicinity of Orleans had business demanding attention in the city yesterday.

Charles Petefish of Lawrence, Kan., is in Literberry for a visit with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Clark.

Mrs. Walter Haley of North Main street has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Crowe, of Beardstown.

Dr. W. B. Young has gone to Chicago to attend the automobile show and the meeting of the Chicago Dental society.

Mrs. W. H. Crum of Literberry is spending a few days in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crum on West North street.

Joseph Jackson and Louis Deutsch have returned from Chicago where they went to attend the automobile show and were much pleased with all they saw.

Mrs. Mary Fahrenbacher, who for the past few days has been at the home of Mrs. Barbara Ludwig of Alexander, has returned to her home in Springfield.

Frank DeFrates who has a barbershop on the north side of the square in the Parke house building, had a new revolving sign in front of his place of business.

Miss Florence Bourne, stenographer and bookkeeper for C. N. Priest, the Ford man, is enjoying her vacation with friends in the north part of the county and Miss Catherine Sullivan is taking her place.

Herman Baumaster of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Edward Hermas of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Ben D. Miller, chief clerk of the Pacific Hotel, is visiting friends in Peoria.

Edward Stix of Hillsboro was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

William McLean of Woodson was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Frank Beggs of Ashland was among the business callers in Jacksonville.

L. A. Rothschild of Decatur was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville people.

Fancy Box Candies. Clarence L. DePew, North Side Drug Store, Chas. E. Carley of Quincy, Pharmacist.

C. R. Drysdale of Peoria was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

W. E. Whitney of Alton was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville friends.

J. E. Degan of Chicago was interviewing Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

W. S. Dickson of Whitehall was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

J. E. McLanahan of Carrollton was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

S. P. Sherod of Bloomington was a sojourner a few hours in the city yesterday.

George E. Leach of Moline was a caller yesterday on Jacksonville merchants.

Charles W. Shaver of Moline was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Flash lights and batteries. C. L. DePew, North side drug store, Chas. E. Carley of Quincy, Pharmacist.

S. D. Beurup of Springfield has been a visitor in Alexander the past few days.

Oscar Stice of the northeast part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

Fred Hagan of Aronld had a matter of business to see to in the city yesterday.

A. B. Renshaw of Tallula was among the Thursday business callers in the city.

Miss Bertha Crum of Ashland was here Thursday shopping with local merchants.

J. B. Wilcox of Chicago was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

J. W. Denbo of Litchfield was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Edward German of Buckhorn neighborhood was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Edward Phillips of the region of Clark Chapel was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Bert Bishop went to Roodhouse yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives.

J. N. Kessinger of Carlinville was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

J. W. Rife of the east part of the county was a business caller in the city yesterday.

W. E. Yowel of Macon, Mo., was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Benjamin Dye of the northern part of the county was a caller in the city yesterday.

Lewis Rexroat of the vicinity of Concord was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack of Franklin were among the visitors in the city Thursday.

Michael Welsh of Buckhorn was added to the list of business men in the city yesterday.

F. H. Thompson of Bloomington was attending to business matters in the city Thursday.

R. A. Patton of San Antonio, Tex., was here Thursday looking after business matters.

J. W. Corrington of New Berlin was transacting business matters in the city yesterday.

G. W. Black of the north part of the county was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

J. H. Silcox of Decatur was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

James Gaddis of Bluff was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

A. G. Markut of Chandlerville was added to the list of business men in the city yesterday.

Miss Marie Chambers expects to leave the last of the week for a short visit in Chicago.

Robert Visser of Alexander has gone to St. Louis to take a course in an automobile school.

Frank Robinson of Murrayville

## Floreth Co.'s GREAT 15-DAY JANUARY SALE Goes on All Thru This Week

This Sale means clear out goods at cost and less that we can get our stock reduced to a minimum before our Annual Inventory FEB. FIRST.

Dress Goods at a Saving of 25 to 33 1-3 Per Cent

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UNION SUITS—\$1.50 now \$1.19; \$1 now 80c; 75c now 60c; 50c now 40c

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\$5.00 for Ladies' Coats worth up to \$10.55; \$6.50 for Ladies' Coats worth up to \$13.50; \$7.50 for Ladies' Coats worth up to \$15.

Children's Coats at \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$3.50

Ladies' Trimmed Hats at \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00

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26c Pepperell 8-4 bleached Muslin 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ c 10 yds. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ c 36-in. bleached Muslin 50c

**DESCRIBES POSITION OF UNITED STATES IN A WAR-TORN WORLD**

Major General Wood Likens America to a "Ship at Sea With Typhoon Signals Coming From Many Directions."

Washington, Jan. 27.—The position of the United States in a war-torn world was described to the house military committee today by Major General Leonard Wood as like that of a ship at sea with typhoon signals coming from many directions.

"We are living in an era of war," he said, "and gradually are accumulating most of the troubles of the world."

General Wood, who appeared at the committee's hearings of the army increase bills, repeated in the main the testimony he previously had given before the senate military committee. He said it would take an army of a million and a half to hold a line from Boston south.

Should conditions at the close of the war in Europe invite attack, he declared, the more powerful of the belligerents could land 500,000 men on American soil in less than 30 days.

A regular army of 220,000 fully trained and always under arms, with at least 2,000,000 reserves behind them should be provided, he urged, to meet this situation. The United States navy, he classed as fourth in fighting efficiency, and declared it could not maintain control of the sea or defend the coast.

While General Wood and Colonel Edwin F. Glenn, chief of staff of the department of the east were testifying before the house and senate military committees respectively, Rear-Admiral R. S. Griffin, chief engineer of the navy, told the house naval committee, considering navy increases, of the mechanical ills to which submarines are subjected.

Admiral Griffin said he believes no foreign power was outstripping the United States in naval design, and that type for type American craft was as efficient as any afloat. To show the condition of American submarines, he read a report stating that they had done several hundred miles submerged cruising last year. Their engines were available for duty approximately 300 days a year, he added.

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**ANNOUNCE AGREEMENTS.**

New York, Jan. 27.—Attorneys for the White Star Line announced tonight that agreements had been reached with more than 200 claimants whereby about \$600,000 will be paid in claims arising out of the Titanic disaster.

**Big Cut For This Week**

Regular Price.	Cut Price.	Regular Price.	Cut Price.
25c No. 3 can White Cherries .....	15c	25c Washed Figs .....	15c
25c No. 3 can Sliced Pineapple .....	15c	40c can Monarch Coffee, 3 for .....	\$1.00
15c No. 3 can Sweet Potatoes .....	10c	2 lbs. Illinois Pecans .....	25c
25c jar Pure Preserves .....	15c	2 lbs. New Mixed Nuts .....	25c
25c bottle Club House Catsup .....	15c	3 lbs. Navy Beans (good cookers) .....	25c

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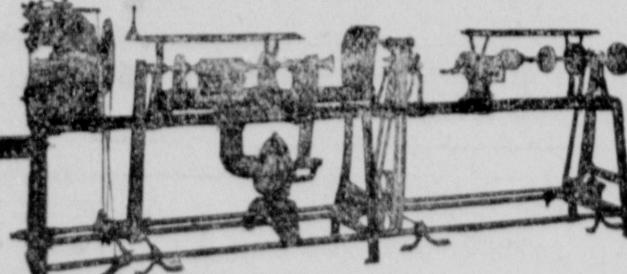
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**MINERS GIVE WHITE AND HAYES SWEEPING VOTE OF CONFIDENCE**

**WILSON OPENS APPEAL FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE**

(Continued from page one)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 27.—After a bitter attack by E. L. Doyle, secretary of the Colorado miners, in which he assailed the management of the strike in that state, the United Mine Workers of America in convention gave a sweeping vote of confidence to John P. White, president and Frank J. Hayes, vice-president today when it was approved by a large majority all that the international officers had done to win that safety of America?

For more than two hours Doyle with a mass of letters, documents and photographs, attacked some of the things done by the leaders in conducting the strike. After the convention had approved the acts of the international officers a motion to expunge from the record all the remarks of Boyle was carried by an overwhelming vote.

**GRANTS POWER TO SUBPOENA WITNESSES.**

Washington, Jan. 27.—Power to subpoena witnesses in the hearing of Representative Buchanan's impeachment charges against United States District attorney Mahshull of New York was given by the house today to the judiciary committee. The committee asked the right to subpoena that Mr. Buchanan, who contended he was unable to meet the expense of bringing witnesses to Washington might have fullest opportunity to prove his charges.

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**TWO SIDES TO QUESTION.**

"There are two sides to this question of preparation. There is not merely the military side, there is the industrial side. And the ideal which I have in mind is this, gentlemen, we ought to have in this country a great system of industrial and vocational education, under federal guidance and with federal aid, in which a very large percentage of the youth of this country will be given training in the skillful use of application of the principles of science in manuevre and business. And it will be perfectly feasible and highly desirable to add to that, and combine with it, such a training in the mechanism, use and care of arms in the sanitation of the camp in the simpler forms of manoeuvre and organization, as will make these same men industrially efficient and individually serviceable for national defense.

No Spirit of Aggrandizement.

"There is no spirit of aggrandizement in America. I have sought to maintain peace against very great, and sometimes, very unfair odds and I am ready at any time to use every power that is in me to prevent such a catastrophe as war coming upon this country.

Gentlemen, there is something that the American people love better than they love peace. They love the principles upon which their political life is founded. They are ready at any time for the vindication of their character and of their honor. They will at no time seek a contest but they will at no time cravenly avoid it. Because every nation is one thing that the country ought to fight for, and that every nation ought to fight for, it is the integrity of its own convictions. We will not surrender our conviction. I would rather surrender territory than surrender those ideals which are the staff of life for the soul itself.

America has more than once given evidence of the generosity and disinterestedness of its love of liberty. It has been willing to fight for the liberty of others as well as for its own liberty. The world sneered when we set out for the liberation of Cuba, but the world does not sneer any longer. The world knows now what is was then loath to believe that a nation can sacrifice its own interests and its own blood for the sake of the liberty and happiness of another people.

Have Undertaken Obligations.

"And, whether by one process or another, we have made ourselves in some sort the champions of free government and national sovereignty in both hemispheres of this hemisphere, so that there are certain obligations that we have undertaken. The first and primary obligation is the maintenance of the integrity of our own sovereignty—which goes as a matter of course. There is also the maintenance of our liberty to develop our political institutions without hindrance and last of all there is the determination and the obligation to stand as the strong brother of all those in this hemisphere who will maintain the same principles and follow the same ideals of liberty.

May I venture to insert here a parenthesis? Have any of you thought of this? We have been slow, very slow, indeed, to win the confidence of other states of the American hemisphere. If we should go into Mexico, do you know what would happen? All the sympathy of the rest of the Americas would look across the water, and not northward to the great republic which we profess to represent.

And do you not see the consequences that would ensue in every international relationship? Have the gentleman who have rushed down to Washington to insist that we should go into Mexico reflected upon the politics of the world? Nobody seriously supposes, gentlemen, that the United States needs to fear an invasion of its own territory. What America has to fear, if she has anything to fear, are indirect, roundabout, flank movements upon her rearant position in the western hemisphere. Are we going to open those gates, or are we going to close them?

For they are the gates to arts of our American friends to the south of us and not the gates to the ports. Win their spirits and you have won the only sort of leadership and the only sort of safety that America covets. We must all of us think, from this time out in terms of the world and must learn what it is that America has set out to maintain as a standard bearer for all those who love liberty and justice and righteousness and political action.

"What I am trying to impress upon you now is that the circumstances of the world today are not what they were yesterday and that it is not certain what they will be tomorrow. I cannot tell you what the international relations of this country will be tomorrow and I use the word literally. And I would not dare keep silent and let the country suppose that tomorrow was certain to be as bright as today.

**WILL NEVER BE THE AGGRESSOR.**

"America will never be the aggressor; America will always seek to the last point at which her honor is involved to avoid the things which disturbed the peace of world. But America does not control the circumstances of the world and we must be sure that we are faithful servants of those things which we love and are ready to defend them against every contingency that may affect or impair them.

"But as I was saying, a moment ago, we must seek the means which are consistent with the principles of our lives. It goes without saying, tho, apparently, it is necessary to say to some excited persons, that one thing this country never will endure is a system that can be called militarism. But militarism consists in this, gentlemen, it consists in preparing a great machine whose only use is for war and for giving it no use to which to apply itself. Men who are in charge of edged tools and hidden to prepare them for exact and scientific use, grow very impatient if they are not permitted to use them and I do not believe that the creation of such an army is an insurance of peace. I believe it involves the danger of all the temptations that skillful persons to have to use the things that they know how to use.

"But we don't have to do that. America is always going to use her army in two ways. She is going to use it for the purpose of peace and she is going to use it as a nucleus for expansion into those things which she does believe in, namely the protection of her citizens to take care of themselves.

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The point about such a system will be that it's emphasis will lie on the industrial and civil side of life and that, like all the rest of America the use of force will only be in the background, and as the last resort. So that men will think first of their families and their daily work, of their service in the economic fields of the country and only last of all their serviceability to the nation as soldiers and men at arms. That is the ideal of America.

"But gentlemen, you cannot create such a system over night. You cannot create such a system rapidly. It has got to be built up; and I hope it will be built up by slow and effective stages. And there is something to be done in the meantime. We ought to see that a sufficient body of citizens is given the kind of training which will make them efficient for call into the field in case of necessity.

"It is discreditable to this country for this is a country full of intelligent men, that we should have exhibited to the world the example we have sometimes exhibited to it of stupidity and brutal waste of force. Think of asking men who can be easily drawn, to come into the field, crude, ignorant, inexperienced and merely furnish the stuff for campaign fever and the bullets of the enemy.

The sanitary experience of our army in the Spanish War was merely an indictment of America's indifference to the manifest lessons of experience in the matter of ordinary preparation. We have got the men to waste but God forbid that we should waste them. Men who go as efficient instruments of national honor into the field afford a very handsome spectacle indeed, but men who go in, crude and ignorant boys, only indict those in authority for stupidity and neglect. And so it seems to me that it is our manifest duty to have a proper citizen re-service.

Not Forgetting National Guards.

"I am not forgetting our national guards.

"As governor of New Jersey, I was brought into association with and learned to admire the men, to respect the officers, and to believe in the national guard, and I believe that the great arm of our national defense should be built up and encouraged to the utmost. But you know that under the constitution of the United States it is under the direction of more than two score states. And I, for my part, am afraid, the some gentlemen differ with me and there is no way in which that force can be made a direct resource as a national reserve under national authority.

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"But as I was saying, a moment ago, we must seek the means which are consistent with the principles of our lives. It goes without saying, tho, apparently, it is necessary to say to some excited persons, that one thing this country never will endure is a system that can be called militarism. But militarism consists in this, gentlemen, it consists in preparing a great machine whose only use is for war and for giving it no use to which to apply itself. Men who are in charge of edged tools and hidden to prepare them for exact and scientific use, grow very impatient if they are not permitted to use them and I do not believe that the creation of such an army is an insurance of peace. I believe it involves the danger of all the temptations that skillful persons to have to use the things that they know how to use.

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Mrs. William Claypool has returned from Springfield where she spent last week with relatives.

Rev. Mr. Ditering of Neeleys was calling on some of his parishioners in town Tuesday.

Squire Arundel was a Springfield visitor Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Lawrence was called to Springfield Wednesday by the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jane Lawrence.

Mrs. I. G. Eller of Chapin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Williams, of this place.

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Major McConnell also states that his father, Gen. Murray McConnell, resided in December, 1833, in the house to which I referred as Dr. G. Y. Shirley's in my "O. J." article of Jan. 13th, inst. This house was a good sized two story frame, and stood at the exact place now occupied by the Pacific hotel.

Latterly the house had sunk down somewhat, and standing flush with the street line, it leaned outward a little at the top.

Dr. Shirley afterwards built a large two story frame house, about four doors east of the corner one—which was at the northwest corner of East and East State streets. The second Shirley house was moved later to the lot now occupied by Routh College. From there it was moved again.

The telegraph operator referred to by Maj. McConnell as Mr. Smith, was afterwards well known here as Prof. Jas. B. Smith. He was principal of the Third Ward school about 1882, and was employed in the Journal business office about 1885, by his nephew, Charles M. Eames, then proprietor of the Journal. And the Journal office was at that time in the T. J. Taber Mathers building on East State street, now known as the Majestic theatre.

According to an ordinance which went to its final reading before the Des Moines City Council yesterday, every candidate for city, county or state office during the 1916 campaign that permits his poster to be pasted or tacked on convenient telephone poles, fences, barns or other buildings must pay a fee of \$150 as a billboard license.

TO RESUME STUDIES.

Miss Ruth Fairbank expected to leave this morning for Baltimore to continue her studies in the medical department of the Johns Hopkins university. The young lady has been out a year and goes back with health fully regained and in good spirits for the work she is undertaking.

Ensley Moore.

G. A. R. ATTENTION.

Regular meeting of Matt Star Post this evening at 7:30.

John Minter, Commander.

C. E. McDougall, Adjutant.

L. F. Burger of Meroesia was attending to various affairs in the city yesterday.

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**AGRICULTURAL PAGEANT  
PLANNED FOR CENTENNIAL**

Mrs. Weber Has Worked Out Details for Interesting Exhibit.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 26.—An agricultural pageant combining legend and romance with history and to be acted by children is being planned as part of the celebration of the Illinois Centennial in 1918. A general plan for such pageant has been worked out by Mrs. Jessie Palmer Weber, secretary of the Illinois State Historical society.

Discussing the pageant, Mrs. Weber said:

"It has occurred to me that it might be of great interest to work up in pageant form the legends relating to Indian corn and I believe some of these might be used as the opening scene or introduction to a pageant."

I think the story of Kaskaskia would suit this purpose, especially in bringing out the French Commissars in which each family was assigned its little portion of land for a garden, an orchard, and a limited grazing space. One might have the French settlers with their gardens and orchards and the ever-present wheat as well, as the Frenchmen always used white bread and did not depend on ground corn as did the Virginians.

Starting with legend of the Indian corn with the Ind'ian scenes, the tepees and the canoes, then the arrival of the French commandant, Boisbriant and the priests, the settlement at Kaskaskia, the division of the land into commons, the quaint dress of the French, perhaps the arrival of the soldiers at Fort Chartres and the first few French women might follow, and then a very pretty scene would be the harvesting of the wheat.

The changes in the government could be shown, the arrival of the English, the coming of George Rogers Clark, followed by the Virginians or "Long Knives." Then an interesting thing would be the establish-

ment of the English settlement at Albion, of whom Morris Birkbeck and George Flower were the leaders. These men brought in improved methods of farming and the Colony house at Albion was like an English manor, with a beautiful lawn and a profusion of flowers. We might also portray the early distinguished farmers of the state and the manufacturers of agricultural implements."

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The Illinois Equal Suffrage Association is there alive and very wide awake. New organizations are joining from time to time and each one is a most welcome addition. Any civic league in any village, city, town or county from any locality within the state may affiliate with the State Association and thus become identified with this great work.

In cities the ward is the unit. Any ward organization may become an affiliated society and by so doing aid the Association and will themselves undoubtedly be greatly benefited. Chicago has thirty-five wards, in each of which there is a league or ward organization. Each league has an efficient chairman and a good Board. Very recently the Chairmen of all these ward organizations met with the State President, upon his invitation, at the State Headquarters, 604 Tower Bldg., Chicago.

This being the Second Annual Conference of this kind. That the organization chairmen have been able to complete a list of organizations is wonderful and the magnitude of the task will be partially appreciated when it is realized that in some of these wards only a small per cent of the women understand the English language, much less speak it, and in others nearly every known nationality on the face of the globe is represented.

These Chairmen were all enthusiastic—reporting how often meetings are held, the average attendance, the general policy to be pursued and other matters of interest.

It was determined to keep these civic leagues (as such) absolutely non-partisan. They pledged themselves to renewed effort in assisting in educating the women to realize their civic and patriotic responsibilities and in increasing registration.

The president impressed upon these chairmen how much the responsibilities of the women of Chicago are upon their shoulders and helped them to realize that the success of all other Illinois women.

For as the women of that great city are faithful, so will such influence be felt throughout the whole state.

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**JOSEPH DE GOVEIA BUYS PROPERTY ON WEST COURT ST.**

Becomes Owner of Storage House of Anheuser-Busch Brewing Co.—Will Remodel Building.

An important real estate trans-

fer was consummated Thursday

when Joseph DeGouveia purchased

from the Anheuser-Busch Brewing

association of St. Louis the property

on West Court street formerly used

as a storage house. The deal was

made thru Edward Keating who

went to St. Louis Wednesday and

made the arrangements for the trans-

fer with the company. Thursday

Joseph F. Hof, real estate man for

the company came to Jacksonville

and the final arrangements were

made for the transfer. The price

was not given out by either party.

The property transferred Thurs-

day is located at the corner of West

Court street and Broadway alley.

It is 60 by 180 feet and the build-

ing is 60 by 100 feet. The building

was erected by Mr. DeGouveia in

1901 and was used for a number of

years by the company for storage

purposes. It is a substantial brick

structure. It has a store room on

the end, which at the present time

is occupied by W. D. Cody as an of-

fice with a feed and provision store.

Mr. Cody is now using entire build-

ing. There is a driveway thru the

center and on the west is a large re-

frigerator and storage room and in

the rear is a large stable for the

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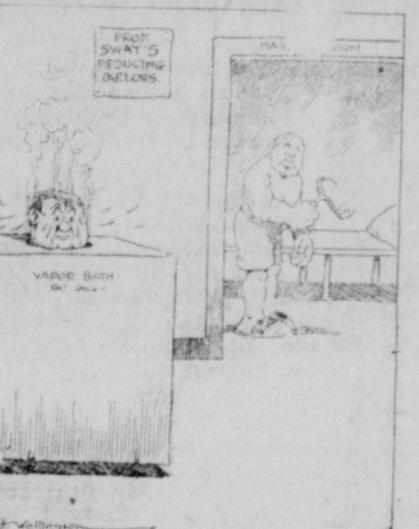
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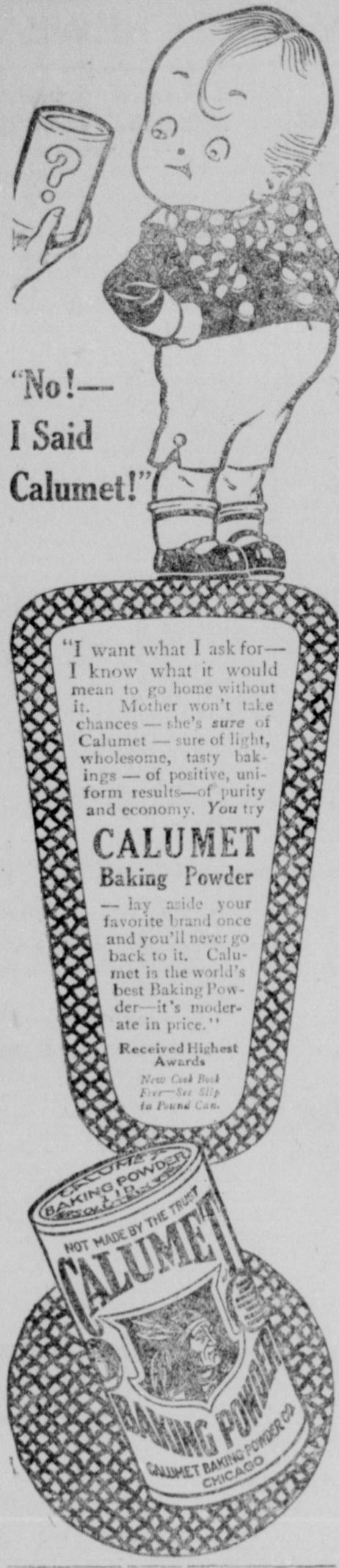
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## Some Topics of the Farm

### THE CONTROL OF SAN JOSE SCALE

(The Indiana Farmer)

Some twenty or more years ago Dr. C. L. Marlatt, an entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, was sent out to scour the earth in an endeavor to discover the natural enemy of the San Jose scale—quite a difficult task. In this he was successful, however, for in northern China he found the pest kept in check by the Asiatic ladybird. These were introduced into this country in the hope that the introduction would result in the control of the San Jose scale. The Asiatic ladybird, however, unfortunately proved to be subject to certain native parasites, while the necessity of spraying for the scale destroyed its food supply to such an extent that it was unable to maintain its existence.

The San Jose scale is subject to attack by numerous predaceous and parasitic enemies, which render important service in its control. Practically, however, the combined influence of these several agencies is not sufficient to make up for the enormous reproductive capacity of this insect, the estimate having been made that the progeny from one parent during the season being 1,608,040,200 females. It is thus easy to understand how the insect can so quickly destroy the plants infested and why prompt remedial measures are so necessary. To preserve the plants from destruction its control must be accomplished by artificial means, such as the use of sprays.

The San Jose scale, in the absence of proper treatment, will quickly bring about the death of many plants of economic importance. Its discovery, therefore, whether in orchards or on prized fruit trees and other plants in the yard, should call for prompt steps toward its control, that the scale may be successfully controlled, and practically its presence merely requires one thorough treatment during the dormant period each year. One account of the general distribution of the pest extermination measures are, in most cases, out of the question.

Complaints sometimes come from orchardists who have the scale to contend with that the control of the insect is neglected by their neighbors, and they believe this neglect adds materially to their own work; undoubtedly the scale will spread from orchard to orchard, but thorough annual sprayings will prevent important injury irrespective of neglect in adjacent orchards.

There are several scale washes which may be employed in the control of the insect, and the one should be selected which can be most conveniently used and which is economical under the circumstances. Thus, for spraying on a large scale, the orchardists could properly afford expenditures for the construction of cooking outfits for lime-sulphur wash which would not be justified where only a few trees were involved. For a few plants it would be better to use some one of the prepared washes put up by manufacturers. In fact, many large orchardists prefer to use sprays of this class in preference to making the washes at home. The possibility of injury to the tree from the sprays must also be borne in mind. All treatment, if possible, should be made during the dormant period, since at this time washes may be applied at much greater strengths than when the trees are in foliage. The aim is to use the wash about as strong as the tree will stand, thereby securing the maximum killing effect upon the insects. Used in this way the washes of the petroleum or kerosene series are most likely to cause injury to the fruit buds and tender twigs, and the lime-sulphur washes least likely to do so. Fish-oil soap sprays as recommended for dormant trees are comparatively safe, the reports are at hand of injury to fruit buds, especially from fall applications. Stone fruits, such as peach, plum, etc., are more susceptible to injury from sprays than apple and pear, and on the former the lime-sulphur sprays should always

be used. Petroleum and miscible oils are more frequently used on apple and pear, and owing to their spreading and penetrating qualities are perhaps more effective in destroying the scales on the terminal twigs, which are infested to a greater extent in the case of these fruits. The several sprays in use, the formulae for which may be obtained from the Department of Agriculture (particularly Farmers' Bulletin 650, "The San Jose Scale and Its Control") or from the State experiment stations, are lime-sulphur, petroleum-oil (including miscible oils), and soap washes.

For the successful application of sprays to trees and plants infested with the San Jose scale some form of spraying apparatus is necessary, although it is quite practicable in case but few trees in the yard are to be treated to apply the wash on the limbs and branches by means of a brush, or even with old cloths. Severe pruning of the trees is usually desirable to simplify the work of treatment, and also to produce a new growth of non-infested wood.

### Seed Corn Cost.

The seed corn situation is serious in many localities. Good seed corn suitable to the climate is difficult to locate. As a result prices have gone up, some sales of high-testing corn having been reported at as high as seven dollars per bushel, with higher prices forecasted. Before planting time perhaps some folks will be inquiring what is the limit in price they can afford to pay for first-class seed. We don't know. Perhaps some of our good corn growers can tell us. At an Iowa short course recently this question was asked and the corn expert on hand said fifteen dollars was not too much in a pinch, and ten dollars should be paid if necessary without a second thought.

Is corn as profitable as wheat? We pay around two dollars an acre for seeding to wheat right along. Possibly some figuring can be done along this line to get a fair estimate of what the corn grower can afford to pay for good seed.—The Farmers' Review, Chicago.

### New Livestock Ruling.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Livestock shippers in Iowa are showing considerable interest in a recent decision of the supreme court, which held that shippers can not recover from railroads for damage to stock under the regulation of shipping contract unless the claims for damage are filed with the company before the animals are permitted to mingle with others in the stock yards.

The decision was in the case of Baldwin and Riggs against the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific. The action of Judge F. M. Hunter of Van Buren county, in refusing to allow the plaintiffs damages was affirmed.

Damages for injuries to cattle in transit from St. Paul in March, 1912, were claimed by J. W. Riggs, of Douds, Iowa, and J. A. Baldwin, of Selma, Iowa. They also sued for damages on a shipment to Chicago some time later, contending that the cattle arrived too late for the market on a particular Wednesday, and that the shrinkage was too great.

The company in defense produced its contract, which also provided that suit, if any, must be commenced within six months after the alleged damage occurred.

### Thomas Public Sale.

John W. Thomas, who resides southeast of Literberry, held a public sale Thursday afternoon, which was largely attended. The bidding was spirited and everying commanded good prices. W. H. Crum was the auctioneer and Charles McDonald the clerk. The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church served the lunch. One team of horses sold for \$330, bought by Charles Whiteman. Otto Mason, a filly, \$121; W. H. Fuller, a mare, \$113; a horse, \$87; Charles Whiteman bought a cow and calf for \$91; Al Dunlap, a cow for \$64. Charles McDonald bought five brood sows at \$29.50 each; 500 bushels of oats sold for 36¢ and 37¢ per bushel; 24 bushels of seed corn brought \$1.00 per bushel; farming implements brought unusually good prices and harness sold well. The sale totalled about \$1,850.

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## FOOD FOR CHILDREN THEME OF HOME ECONOMICS INSTRUCTOR

Miss Isabel F. Walker Discusses Important Topic Before Women of Fourth Ward.

"Proper Foods for the Child in School" was the theme of Miss Isabel F. Walker, head of the department of home economics at Illinois Woman's college, before members of the fourth ward Parent-Teachers' association assembled at the Washington school Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A business session followed the address and during the social hour refreshments were served by the teachers. Mrs. A. L. Adams was in charge of the afternoon program and Mrs. W. D. Roberts, president of the association, was in the hair. Mrs. Owen Graff is secretary of the association.

Miss Walker spoke first of the body and its needs, telling of the forms in which nature supplies material for bodily upbuilding and explaining in clear manner the meaning of a balanced dietary. She gave a number of practical suggestions for the choice of foods for the meals of children. Among desirable foods suggested were eggs, milk, fruits and fresh vegetables. "There is no reason," said the speaker, "why the vegetable element in the dietary may not be continued throughout the year. Meat, of course, should be used sparingly, and for very young children its use should be reduced to a minimum." In speaking of the character of the various meals, Miss Walker urged the desirability of evening as the time for the lightest meal.

The child's sleep in this way will be sound and refreshing and the tendency to troubled rest will be done away with. By a free use of milk in the dietary it is possible so to supply the bodily needs of the child that no meal need be especially heavy, tho the meal at mid-day will usually be the heaviest of the three. Miss Walker spoke of the effect of environment during meals, laying stress on the necessity of pleasant meal time conditions. She concluded her talk with detailed reference to some good methods of cooking eggs, cereals, vegetables and meat for children.

### WINCHESTER

Mrs. George Lashmet left Wednesday for Jacksonville to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hawk.

Mrs. Robert Mason has received word of the continued serious illness of Miss Eliza Owens of Holdenville, Okla.

Joseph Switzer has returned to Pekin after a visit with relatives in Winchester. He was called by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Carrie Switzer, whom he leaves much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gibbs left this morning for a short stay in St. Louis. E. Watt is confined to his home with laryngeal

W. C. Cowper left Thursday for Rochester, Ill., for a visit with the family of John Coe.

Elmer Mason is here from Canton for visit with his parents.

Three of the mail carriers, Messrs. McColley, Dill and Hamilton were unable to make their trips yesterday by reason of the bad roads and several of the others were badly delayed.

George Carlton, who for some time has been ill, was reported not well Wednesday and Thursday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Dailey is ill with laryngitis. Ladies of the Musical Club and Choral society are planning a party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Frost. The event will be in honor of Mrs. Carl German, who is soon to leave Winchester.

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Mrs. Anna Ferguson, Pres. H. May Jordan, Press Cor.

Miss Lee Eddo Campbell of Virgina is in the city for a short visit with relatives and friends.

## ILLINOIS COLLEGE IS PRESENTED WITH LETTER OF THERON BALDWIN

Historic Document Written in 1830 Throws Interesting Light on the Founding of College—Gift of Mrs. Martha G. Herdman, Brighton, Ill.

At the chapel exercises at Illinois college Thursday morning President Rammelkamp called attention to an interesting historical document recently presented to the college by Mrs. Martha G. Herdman of Brighton, Ill. The document is a letter by Theron Baldwin, dated at Vandalia, Ill., April 15th, 1830, and addressed to a Mr. William Thompson, Amherst, Mass. It will be noted that the letter was written only a few months after Mr. Sturtevant and Mr. Baldwin had arrived in the West from New England. Mr. Baldwin had, of course, settled in Vandalia, while Mr. Sturtevant was acting as sole instructor in the new college.

The letter gives an interesting discussion of conditions at the college in those early times. After apologizing for his failure to write earlier, Mr. Baldwin proceeds as follows:

"Believe at our last interview I gave you the outlines of our plan for a college and etc, at the West—. I need not now repeat that plan. Rev. J. M. Sturtevant and myself left Connecticut in September last as pioneers in the undertaking. The plan in theory was generally, or perhaps I ought to say universally pronounced 'noble,' and by most was thought practicable. We have now been on the ground for some months—we have a two story brick building completed in fine style 33 feet by 36 and an addition of about the same size is under contract for the coming season. We have about 230 acres of land lying in a body around the building—and perhaps 200 acres of it may be called as good land as any rod of ground on Conn. River.

"The building stands on a delightful eminence about one mile from Jacksonville, and in full view of it—and so much elevated that the foundation of the building is about on a level with the spire of the Court House. The \$10,000 which we pledged has been raised, and about 1200 acres of land lying in this State given for the purpose of the college. Our school opened on the first Monday in January about a year and one month after the idea of a college entered the mind of one of the members of our Association at New Haven, and the place where the building stands was an open prairie last August. So many colleges have been undertaken in the Western country by individuals who knew little or nothing about the business (and of course failed) that people have lost their confidence in them. And after our building was up creditable witnesses who should swear under oath to the fact of its existence would at first scarcely believe. They wanted ocular demonstration. The first session was to close yesterday. I was in Jacksonville four weeks since—the number of students had then increased to 19. We have incorporated manual labor into our system, and the students are now engaged in building a house near the college, in gardening and etc."

The document is very appropriately framed. President Rammelkamp expressed the appreciation of the college for the donation, and expressed the hope that other friends who have interesting historical material relating to the college will follow the example of Mrs. Herdman.

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## WAVERLY HERALD HAS SUSPENDED PUBLICATION

Paper Started by B. Reinbach is Short-lived—Subscription List Taken Over by Waverly Journal.

The Waverly Herald published at Waverly by B. Reinbach, suspended publication Thursday. The paper was started by Mr. Reinbach, September 1st, and was published weekly until Thursday. Mr. Reinbach has been ill for several weeks and gives as the cause of suspension his continued ill health. Editor Smith of the Waverly Journal took over Mr. Reinbach's subscription list and will furnish the subscribers of the Herald with the Journal.

Mr. Reinbach for a number of years was publisher of the Waverly Journal which he sold to Wilson M. Smith.

### OILING UNPAVED STREETS.

A good argument in favor of the oiling of roads may be had from a brief look at the portion of Kosciusko Street adjoining the property of E. E. Crabtree. This section of road has been well oiled for several years past, and the fact that it is smooth and in excellent condition when many dirt roads are well nigh impassable seems best kind of evidence in favor of oiling. W. H. Cocking was engaged Thursday in dragging the street, and the surface is now in tip top condition.

### DRAMA LEAGUE NOTICE.

The annual business meeting of the Drama League for the election of officers and reports of committees will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the public library. The dues for 1916 are now payable.

Mrs. C. L. Carpenter of Sandusky, Ohio, is in the city for a visit with the family of her son, E. C. Carpenter of Hardin avenue.

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Toilet Soap  
Stationery  
Peroxide  
Cold Cream

This list suggests only a few of the items 10 cents will buy in our store. 10 cents is a popular price and a dime is always within easy reach. Even with a dime for capital you can usually buy your own favorite remedy or toilet preparations against the time when you can afford to or care to buy a larger bottle or package. We specialize on lots of little odds and ends at 10 cents which it will pay you to investigate. We do not run a 10 cent store, but you know from experience that practically all manufacturers put up their goods in ten cent trial packages. 10 cents can be used with as great value here as anywhere else in the world.

**10c Never Went Further Than Here**

You want to come and see just how far 10 cents will go in our store. You will find many a pleasant ten cent surprise here.

**ARMSTRONG'S DRUG STORE**  
THE QUALITY STORE  
South West Corner Square  
JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS.

## SPECIALS

### For This Week

Shanahan Best Flour, large sack, 49 pounds.....	\$1.70
Small sack.....	.85c
Minnesota Queen Flour, large sack.....	1.75
Small sack.....	.90c
3 Cans Tomatoes, Corn and Peas for.....	.25c
2 Cans Apricots, Apricot and Pears in Syrup.....	.25c
3 lbs. Bulk Peaches.....	.25c
3 lbs. Lima Beans.....	.25c
Prunes, per lb.....	.10c
Apricots in bulk, per lb.....	.15c
Curants and Raisins, 2 lbs.....	.25c
3 Cans Kidney Beans.....	.25c
Currants and Raisins, 2 lbs.....	.25c
3 Cans Milk, for.....	.25c
3 packages Pancake Flour.....	.25c

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**RECOMMENDS DELEGATES**  
Ottumwa, Iowa, Jan 27.—The sixth district Iowa Democratic conference today made the following recommendations:

Delegate at large to the National convention, O. P. Meyers, Jasper; delegates, J. H. Platt, Winneshiek; D. W. Bates, Monroe, Alternates, H. C. Leach, Davis; James Reed, Wm. St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv.

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## ROUTT COLLEGE LOSES CLOSE GAME

WAS DEFEATED BY SHURTLEFF COLLEGE 16 TO 17.

Largest Crowd in History of Routt Athletics Witnesses Fast and Furious Game—Score was Tied at the End of the First Half.

In one of the fastest games ever played in Liberty Hall, Routt college met defeat at the hands of Shurtleff college, by a score of 16 to 17 last night. The game was witnessed by several hundred people and was the largest crowd ever assembled in the hall to see a basketball contest.

The game was nip and tuck from start to finish and it was anybody's victory till the last minute. Routt started the ball to rolling a few minutes after the contest started when Froelich made a basket. Shurtleff then took on extra speed and ran up nine points. Routt players tightened up and made seven points, tying the score at the end of the first half.

The second half started off with a vengeance and with the score, 16 to 16 in favor of Routt, some eight minutes before time was called, Shurtleff sent in their coach, Mr. Moore, who made the winning basket a half minute after he entered. It was hard for the locals to see how a coach would be eligible to play, but as nothing was said in the agreement before hand, he took part without opposition. In the game against Illinois college here a week ago Mr. Moore was present, but did not participate in the contest. After Moore's entrance Routt showed more speed than ever, and two minutes before time was called Butler was sent in to relieve Sehy, who was scarcely able to play on account of the grip.

Routt college is planning for a game Tuesday night against the Alumni and the plans are expected to be completed shortly.

The score:  

	FG.	FT.	TP.
Shurtleff	2	0	4
Stamper, If	3	0	6
Miller, rf	1	1	3
Wallace, c	1	0	2
McDow, rg	0	0	0
Randle, lg	1	0	2
Moore, c	—	—	—
Totals	8	1	17

Routt:  

	FG.	FT.	TP.
Froelich, If	4	4	12
Walsh, rf	2	0	4
L. Woulfe, c	0	0	0
Leary, lg	0	0	0
Sehy, rg	0	0	0
Butler, rg	0	0	0
Totals	6	4	16

Officials: Earl Harmon, referee; Alexander, umpire.

### WITH THE SICK.

Fred H. Thies, dairyman at the Jacksonville state hospital, is back at his post after a brief illness.

J. K. Harvey of South Jacksonville is recovering from a recent surgical operation.

Mrs. D. K. McCarty is convalescent after an operation at the hospital of Dr. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knust of Murrayville brought their little daughter to Our Savior's hospital yesterday for an operation.

Charles Hagan of Alexander is very sick with an attack of erysipelas.

George W. Seymour of 210 West Morton avenue, is suffering with an attack of the grip.

Leo Clancy, employed in the office of the Railway & Light Co., was taken ill yesterday and is at his home on South Clay avenue.

Alva L. Snyder, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was down town yesterday after an illness of several days. He expects to be at his work within a short time.

Miss Anna Brown of 1042 West State street, underwent an operation Wednesday at Passavant hospital for appendicitis. She was resting comfortably yesterday. Miss Brown became ill Sunday and an operation was deemed imperative.

Walter Lacey of Hardin avenue is very ill.

### BEARDSTOWN GIRL TO WED BLUFFS MAN.

A rush was given in Beardstown Wednesday for Miss Freda Buescher, who is soon to become the bride of Charles Rolf of Bluff. The party was given by the Misses Gusta and Clara Huesman.

### POSITION OF PHARMACIST.

Charles E. Carley of Quincy has taken a position as pharmacist at the North Side Drug Store. Mr. Carley had been in business in Quincy for some time. He will move his family to this city.

Dr. J. W. Hairgrove, William Newman, Arthur Masters and Walter Rice have returned from Chacala where they attended the automobile show.

Dr. Elizabeth Waggoner has returned from Quincy, where she has been for several weeks.

### MRS. J. C. HARTZELL DIES.

Davenport, Ia., Jan. 27.—Relatives received word today of the death at Oklahoma City, Okla., this morning, of Mrs. C. J. Hartzell, wife of the Methodist-Episcopal bishop to Africa. Mrs. Hartzell, who was visiting with her son Robert at Oklahoma City, was supposed to be in good health, and word of her death was a shock to relatives.

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## Annual Economy Sale

An event of importance to the economical buyers of this vicinity with genuine bargains abounding in each and every department of our store.

Do Not Miss This Sale.

### First Floor Bargains

#### Blankets

Regular 12 1-2c Long Fold Ginghams—Sale 10c  
Regular 10c Double Fold Ginghams—Sale at 08c  
Regular 10c Outing Flannels—Economy sale 08c  
Regular 25c Madras Shirting—Economy Sale 19c  
Regular 10c Huck Toweling—Economy sale 09c  
Regular 10c Men's Shirtng—Economy sale 09c  
Regular 25c Silk Mulls—Economy Sale at .19c  
Regular 10c Cretonnes—Economy Sale at .09c  
Regular 12 1-2c Silkkolines—Economy Sale at 11c

#### Cotton Batting

Regular 10c values—Economy sale at .39c  
Regular \$1.00 values—Economy sale at .79c  
Regular \$1.25 values—Economy sale at .89c  
Regular \$1.50 values—Economy sale at .99c  
Regular \$1.75 values—Economy sale at .125c

#### Specials

Assortment 20 pieces wool goods in spring shades, plaids and checks—values up to \$1.00 at .39c  
Assortment of clean crisp remnants at .18c  
Assortment of remnants of wool and wash goods and one of ribbons at .50c  
Assortment children's coats at .50c

### Second Floor Bargains

Ladies New Fall Coats, Values up to \$15.00 at \$5.00  
Ladies New Fall Dresses Values up to \$15.00 at \$7.50  
Ladies All Wool Skirts, Values up to \$10.00 at \$5.00

## A Way Sagless Spring

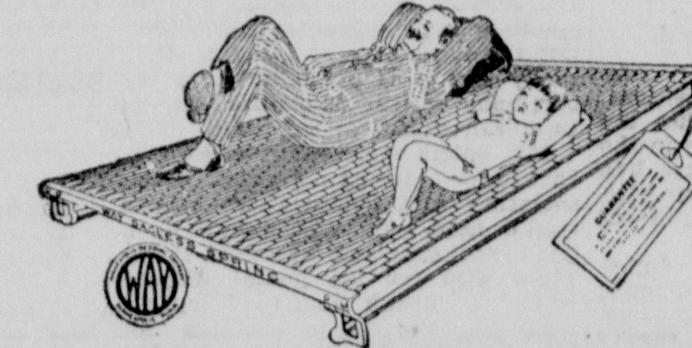
Means Delightful, Natural Refreshing Sleep

An absolutely sagless bedspring Does not roll occupants to center  
Absolutely noiseless Cannot tear bedclothes  
Perfectly sanitary, germ-proof Easily dusted  
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**HILLERBY'S**  
DRY GOODS STORE

We are working on our ANNUAL INVENTORY this week but we have plenty of bargains, small lots, odds and ends, not enough to advertise. The prices are as small as the quantities. It will pay you to investigate. There's many prices continued, too, from our January Clearing Sale.

### New Goods Are Coming In

Scotch Ginghams, Galatea's, Kiddie Kloth's, White Goods and Linweaves, New Curtain Scrims

### AT SPECIAL PRICES

*It's Easier to Count Money Than To Measure Goods.*

### SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

*Always Ask for J. H. Green Stamps*

# Season's End Shoe Sale

## \$2.50

Big girls' special: Patents, and dulls, low heel; just the thing for school. Also quite a few left in ladies' and men's at \$2.50.

A few ladies' felt slippers left 50c and 75c. Children's felt slippers, 50c. Men's traveling slippers in cases, \$1.

A discount of 10 per cent on all regular stock shown, both men's and women's.

Visit Our Bargain Counter

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## ILLINOIS LOSES TO CHARLESTON

Hard Fought Game Results in a Victory for Eastern Normal 35 to 33 — I. C. Plays Millikin Tonight.

(Special to Journal) Charleston, Jan. 27.—In a close and hard fought game here tonight, Illinois college basketball team of Jacksonville, was defeated by Eastern Illinois Normal by a score of 33 to 35.

The Illinois college basketball men will go to Decatur tonight, where they will play James Millikin university. The Decatur Herald in speaking of the game says:

In long distance telephone conversation between Coach Norman G. Wann of Millikin and Coach W. T. Harmon of Illinois college, Jacksonville, Wednesday morning, arrangements were made for a double-header basketball game to be played in the J. M. U. gym on Friday evening. The second teams of the two colleges will meet at 7:30 o'clock and the first teams at 8:30.

**Changes in Line-up.** Radical changes in the line-up of the Millikin varsity for Friday's game have been announced by Coach Wann. Holcomb, the auburn haired forward, has fallen into disfavor with the faculty because of playing hooky from English classes and he will be out of the fracas until next week at the earliest. For the Illinois college game therefore, Millikin will start as follows:

Forwards—Norris and Querry. Center—Miller.

Guards—Cattin and Goltra.

**Two Giants at Guard.**

With the two giants, Cattin and Goltra, in the guard positions, Coach Wann believes he has the strongest defense of any team in the Illinois colleges. Goltra has had much experience at the Decatur high school and Cattin is a veteran of many seasons.

Frank L. Rand, supervisor of physical training in the Decatur schools, will referee the second team game, on Friday night. For the varsity contest, either Swain of Bradley or "Brick" Young of Wesleyan will be secured.

**Athlete Registers.**

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Fresh country sausage, Shanahan's grocery.

Mrs. T. H. Pratt of Joy Prairie was a city shopper yesterday.

### "JITNEYBUS" REDUCE UTILITY EARNINGS.

Springfield Railway Co. Feels Effect of Auto Bus Line.

### J. F. SELF CELEBRATES HIS SEVENTY-THIRD BIRTHDAY

Pleasant Gathering of Friends and Comrades at Family Home on South East Street.

Operation of the jitneybus is said to have reduced the gross earnings of the Springfield Consolidated Railway company \$31,700 within the year. These figures are given in the payment to the city of 2 per cent of the gross earnings, which were deposited with the First Trust & Savings bank, by the utilities company Wednesday.

The total amount deposited by the company in keeping with its franchise ordinance is \$9,007. Last

year the amount deposited to the credit of the city was \$9,641.72, or a decrease of \$634.72. This money is placed in a sinking fund to retire bonds of the city. The total about \$32,000.

The payment to the city was made by General Manager A. D. Mackie. In discussing the gross earnings of the street railway company he said the decrease is due to the operation of jitney busses. The ordinance regulating the jitneys was declared illegal by the circuit court last Saturday.

### WILLIAM SPIETH WILL WED NEXT MONTH IN WISCONSIN

Will be Married Early in February to Miss Clara Zeiner of Tigerton — Was Jacksonville Resident before Removal to Olney.

From Tigerton, Wis., comes word of the approaching marriage of Miss Clara Zeiner of that city to William Spieth of Olney, a former resident of Jacksonville, and a brother of Otto Spieth (the photographer). The marriage will take place early in February and it is probable that the ceremony will be solemnized in the Lutheran church at Tigerton.

Mr. Spieth made many friends in Jacksonville during his period of association with his brother in the studio here. He was known as a good workman and was held in esteem also for his genial disposition.

Mr. Spieth went to Olney last June and engaged in business for himself, and the fact that he has been successful from the first will occasion no surprise. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian H. Spieth and lived for a number of years in Wisconsin before coming to Jacksonville. Fred Spieth, a second brother, took his place in the Spieth studio here, and during the absence of the prospective groom will be in charge of the establishment in Olney. Mr. Spieth is expected in Jacksonville the last of the week and will probably spend several days in the city before proceeding to Tigerton.

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Chase & Sanborn's "SEAL BRAND" Coffee.

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West State Street.  
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### EUCHRE PARTY HELD AT TRADES & LABOR ASSEMBLY HALL

Pleasant Time Spent by Members and Friends Last Night.

On South Mauvalier street between the square and East College avenue is Trades & Labor Assembly building. It is a three story structure and all is used by the members of the various trades unions of the city. The general affairs are managed by an assembly or council consisting of five delegates from each labor union.

In this building, on the first floor, are various apartments and here the members of the unions gather informally. It is a club room or building and is used by both ladies and gentlemen as there are unions of the gentler sex who transact their business in the building.

On the second floor are rooms which are used for various purposes, meetings for business of the different unions and are found very convenient. On the third floor is a single apartment used for general gatherings and there are larger meetings held. It is seated with chairs so that it may be used for dancing, card parties or any respectable use to which such an apartment might be put. The effort of the assembly is that at all times the building shall be used only by persons who conduct themselves in a decorous manner that credit may be cast on the society of organized labor.

With a view to aiding in the cementing of good will and sociability between the members of the labor unions and citizens the idea of a progressive euchre party was suggested and met with favor so committees were appointed and went to work preparing for the event. The general executive committee consisted of Frank Mathews, president of the assembly; M. J. Quinlan, J. W. Eaton, Harry Slover and E. A. Rohmann. Great credit is due Frank Mathews for the faithful manner in which he worked and sold tickets and in every way making the affair a success. Fred May had charge of the check room and Frank Shannon had charge of the door.

About a hundred merry-makers gathered in the third story around tables last night and proceeded to have a good time, and nothing was lacking to make the event a perfect success and such all voted it who were present.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Michael Shanahan and Mel Armstrong, the consolation awards going to Mrs. Jerry Clancy and Fred Tribble.

### R. AND S. MASONS

Jacksonville Council No. 5, R. & S. M. will hold stated assembly this day evening at 7:30. Installation and work.

### R. R. Buckthorpe, T. I. M.

John E. Phillips Rec.

### ANNUAL REUNION TONIGHT AT 2ND BAPTIST CHURCH

Musical Program Will Follow Banquet at 8 O'clock.

Members of the Second Baptist church will gather this evening for their annual home coming, and it is expected that a large number will be present to witness a program which will begin at 8 o'clock by a roll-call, and to which it is expected that all members will respond.

At 9 o'clock the members and guests will sit down to a banquet prepared by the clubs of the church under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Freeman, president of the fourth ward club. During the banquet the following program will be rendered:

Instrumental solo — Miss Lafayette.

Vocal solo — Miss Jessie Allen.

Cornet solo — Mr. C. Spencer.

Reading — Mrs. Laura Lafayette.

Instrumental solo — Miss Helen DeWitt.

Vocal solo — Miss McCree.

Baritone solo — Shelby Nichols.

Short talk by the pastor, Rev. H. H. DeWitt and officers of the church.

### IONA COUNCIL MEETS

Iona council, No. 97, Degree of Pocahontas, had a regular meeting last night and after the business had been transacted, the social committee surprised the membership by serving substantial refreshments they had quietly prepared. There were present a number of invited guests. A social hour of especial pleasure was enjoyed.

BANQUET TUESDAY NIGHT.

The annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Peacock Inn. Reports for the year will be presented and directors will be selected to fill the places of the seven retiring. An interesting program is in course of preparation.

### RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

Seelye, Patronized by U. S. Army and Navy, Called to Jacksonville.

### NEW LOCATION.

Dr. E. Sipes has located his office and residence at 308 North Church street.

### ELECTED OFFICERS.

At a business meeting of the stockholders of the Merrill Abstract company Thursday, the following were elected as directors, Mrs. Ellen Russel Merrill, J. W. Walton, and George H. Busey. The directors then met and elected the following officers:

President — Mrs. Ellen Russel Merrill.

Secretary — George H. Busey.

Treasurer — J. W. Walton.

### VISIT IN MICHIGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry of Pisa-  
gan have gone to Chicago to attend  
the automobile show. They will visit  
in Flint, Battle Creek and Kalamazoo  
before returning. They expect to be away  
for two weeks.

### Little Editorial

Edited by Myers Bros.

### An Important Trade Announcement

### NO WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

You have read in the daily press and magazines and been told of the advancing costs of all kinds of textile fabrics, due to the present war, which has made almost prohibitive the use of dyestuffs formerly obtained abroad.

This condition prevents us from obtaining duplicates of our present stock at former prices.

The wholesale markets were never as low in desirable merchandise and preclude the possibility of supplying the same values as obtainable now.

Our clearing sales have always been a clearance of the remaining stock of the seasons end and we will not substitute for our regular standard merchandise merely to have a sale as a great many sales are conducted.

Therefore we make the unusual announcement that we will have no winter clearing sale. We have not advanced in price any article of merchandise in our store, notwithstanding present worth and continued advance, nor will we do so until every effort of our purchasing organization is exhausted.

# The Suit

or

# Overcoat

You Buy Now

## Are Splendid Values

The savings you make now will be realized when you use the garments for the balance of the season and next winter's wear.

## Long Overcoats

46 inch coats; good, desirable fabrics; styles as good next winter as now—

**\$10    \$15    \$19.50**

Suits of superior value, staple and English styles; neat fabrics for all around wear.

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**MYERS BROTHERS.**  
The Store of Good Values

## January Drapery Sale This Week Only

True economy does not mean how much you pay, but what you receive for your expenditure and how long the article lasts. When you buy cheap goods, your money is gone and the goods soon follow. Then the process must be repeated. No wonder some homes always look cheap.

### Why Not Buy Good Once

and especially, when we offer the following high grade drapery goods at these prices.

Beautiful scrim curtains with knit lace insertion, \$6.00 value.....\$4.65 per pair

Barred Etamine with applique pattern on Brussels net \$7.50 value.....\$5.25 per pair

Fillet edge mererized voile curtains, very rich effect \$4.50 value.....\$3.35 per pair

22 pairs plain voile double hemstitched curtains, \$1.50 value.....\$1.10 per pair

A plain cluny edge scrim curtain of very durable quality, \$2.50 at ..\$2.00 per pair

\$6.00 Wide embroidered Brussels curtains.....\$4.35 per pair

\$11.00 Rich fillet curtains with corded design.....\$6.35 per pair

\$12.50 Brussels point curtains in classy block pattern.....\$8.75 per pair

\$7.50 Point mirabeau curtains of Swiss make .....\$6.35 per pair

\$10.00 Applique pattern on Brussels net .....\$6.85 per pair